



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Date: March 3, 2004

Rodney E. Smith and Colin Victor Hall

Serial No. : 10/680,718

Our Docket No. : SMTT 321A

Filed : October 6, 2003

For : FISH PROTECTIVE WATER EXTRACTION METHOD AND  
APPARATUS

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

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Sir:

**SUBMISSION OF DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FORM**

In response to the Notice of Missing Parts of Application (copy enclosed) dated January 6, 2004, applicants are submitting herewith a copy of an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney form filed in the parent case, as well as a Petition and related documents explaining the refusal of the second inventor to sign the Declaration/Power of Attorney.

Enclosed is a check for \$450.00 covering the surcharge fee and basic filing fee.

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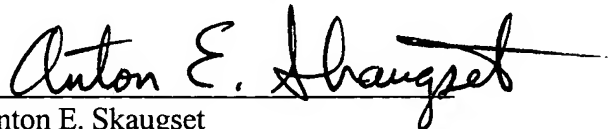
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